

## House Resolution No. 851

**Whereas**, it is with saddened hearts that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives note the passing of an exemplary citizen, Bryant J. AuBuchon of Bonne Terre, on February 26, 2005, at the age of seventy-nine; and

**Whereas**, a World War II veteran who served with the United States Navy, Bryant AuBuchon continued to answer the patriotic call to duty as a civilian who was a member of the Saint Francois County Commission, the mayor of Bonne Terre, a member of the Bonne Terre City Council, a member of the Saint Francois County Environmental Corporation, and the manager of the County Landfill; and

**Whereas**, a charter member of Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 6883, Bryant AuBuchon also joined American Legion Post 83; and

**Whereas**, Bryant AuBuchon for many years was a private businessman who operated Wyde's gasoline service station in downtown Bonne Terre and the Derby station on Benham Street west of Highway 67; and

**Whereas**, in addition to his public service and endeavors as an entrepreneur, Bryant AuBuchon was employed by Dolomite and worked as a field representative for County Assessor Damon Black's office; and

**Whereas**, the beloved husband of the former Pat Taylor, Bryant AuBuchon also was justifiably proud to be known as the loving father of Linda and Dave Buerck of Farmington, Peggy and Murray Nance of Festus, Joseph and Kathy AuBuchon of Saint Louis, Steve and Diane AuBuchon of Bonne Terre, and Lisa and Scott Hammack of Bonne Terre; and

**Whereas**, Bryant AuBuchon took tremendous pleasure in being the "Paw Paw" of David, Denise, Traci, Lisette, Robyn, Murray, Jr., Tiffany, Reggie, Ashley, Allie, Abbey, Kevin, Paul, and Mary Kay and in being a great-grandfather to ten wonderful children:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously to memorialize the life and work of Bryant AuBuchon and to convey this legislative body's most heartfelt condolences to his family members, friends, colleagues, and neighbors who now miss his considerable strength, warmth, and light in their daily lives; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in memory of Bryant J. AuBuchon of Bonne Terre, Missouri.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Brad Robinson  
District No. 107

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 851, adopted March 3, 2005.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker